

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant** : Klaus Schmitt :  
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**Serial No.** : 10/583,535 :  
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: **GROUP:**  
**Attny No.** : 710280-00009 :  
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: **EXAMINER:**  
**Filed** : June 16, 2006 :  
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**Title** : METAL CYLINDER HEAD GASKET WITHOUT A SPACING  
LAYER

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**RESPONSE TO FILE MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371**

Commissioner of Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**ATTENTION: MAILSTOP MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 of Application dated September 2, 2008, Applicant is submitting herewith the required executed Declaration under § 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b).

Charges in the amount of \$ 130.00 to cover the declaration surcharge are being paid electronically via credit card.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account No. 04-1061.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**November 3, 2008**  
**Date**

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